

JACKSONVILLE, ILLINOIS, WEDNESDAY MORNING, APRIL 13, 1904

MAY DROP IT.—The Latter Day Saints to day heard the report concerning Graceland college. It showed an annual deficit of over \$1,000; the present total deficit \$6,333 together with the balance of the college indebtedness is \$8,000. The advisability of discontinuing the college was discussed, but no decision was reached.

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The Rural Routes

The following is a complete list of patrons on rural route No. 2, S. P. Chesney, carrier.

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Alberding George	Alberding Anna	Angelo Cora	Angelo Mrs. Sarah	Angelo Mrs. Stephen	Angelo Mrs. E. R.	Angelo Mrs. Polly	Angelo Mrs. Robertine	Angelo George E.	Angelo Wm H.	Angelo Mrs. Nellie	Angelo S. E.	Arnold Mrs. S. E.	Arnold Bessie	Arnold John	Bader Hyacinth	Bader Miss Mary	Bader George M.	Barnhart Mrs. S.	Barnhart L. A.	Barnhart C. C.	Beecraft Miss A.	Beecraft Miss V.	Barrow Mrs. S. J.	Begnal James H.	Begnal Mrs. Sarah	Begnal Eugene	Begnal Lewis	Blackburn George	Blackburn Nellie	Blackburn Ella	Blackburn Lamon	Blackburn C.	Blinding John F.	Blinding Mrs. E.	Blinding Ada	Blinding Pearl	Blinding Haney	Blinding Chester	Blinding Orey	Blinding J. W.	Blinding Mrs. W.	Bond Bert	Bond Mrs. Lois	Bond Mrs. Kate	Bowen Mrs. Grace	Burkey Patrick	Burkey Mrs. P.	Burkey Thomas	Burkey James	Burkey Larry	Burmaster John	Burmaster Mrs. J.	Burmaster L.	Burmaster John F.	Burns Mrs. Jno F.	Burns Thomas	Burns George	Burns Maggie	Busey Thomas S.	Busey Mrs. M. A.	Busey Edgar T.	Busey Walter S.	Busey Nancy A.	Brisendine P. S.	Busey Mrs. Sarah	Busey George H.	Busey John	Butler Samuel M.	Butler Mrs. E. A.	Butler Ruth	Cain John H.	Cain Mrs. Kate	Cain John D.	Cain Lewis A.	Cain Merrill	Cain Oliver	Cain Katharine	Carter Walter L.	Carter Mrs. Clara	Carter Chauncey	Carter Roy	Casey John F.	Casey M. H.	Casey William	Casey Thomas	Casey Dominick	Casey Mary	Casteen Josephus	Coffman Isaac	Casteen Mrs. E.	Casteen Wm H.	Casteen Lulu	Cockerel Jas H.	Cockerel William	Conlon Stephen	Connolly Mrs. A.	Connolly Raymond	Conlon Mrs. E.	Conlon Muggie	Conlon Nicholas	Conlon Stephen Jr.	Conlon John	Conlon Thomas	Connolly Mrs. A.	Connolly Raymond	Connolly Lizzie	Connolly Mrs. Hanna	Connolly Ellen	Cooper James H.	Cooper William	Cooper Mrs. Mary	Coomb P. W.	Cooper Hattie	Coomb Mrs. F.	Coomb Henry	Coomb Leila	Coomb Blossom	Cosgriff James	Cosgriff Gertrude	Coults George	Cosgriff Mrs. Mary	Coults G. H.	Coults Mrs. J.	Coults Lulu M.	Coults Frank E.	Coults Wiley	Coults C. G.	Cowgar Mrs. P. H.	Cowgar Bessie	Cowgar Hewson	Cradlock Mrs. S.	Cradlock Mrs. Effie	Culp Luther	Currier Chas.	Currier Mrs. A.	Currier Sophia	Corea Mrs. Jos P.	Corea Sophia	Corea Mrs. Jos W. M.	Dober Herman	Doolin Thomas	Doolin Lizzie	Doolin Lillian	Doolin Minnie	Doolin John	Doolin William A.	Doolin John	Doolin Lillian	Dyer Mrs. Susan	Dye Richard	Eastman Samuel
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Doolin Miss Nellie	Eldert John	Eastman Mrs. M.	Eldert Mattie	Eldert Mrs. J.	Eldert August M.	Eldert Charlotte	Elmore Edward	Eldert John M.	Flynn John R.	Flynn Mrs. Annie	Flynn Thomas J.	Flynn Florence M.	Flynn Nettie E.	Flynn Mrs. Ann	Flynn William	Flynn Delia	Flynn Leo	Flynn Jerry Jr.	Flynn Charles	Gorman Mrs. M.	Gaston Mrs. Sarah	Gorman John	Gorman Edward	Gorman John L.	Gorman Mrs. H.	Gorman Mannie	Gorman Louis	Gorman Charles	Gorman Hannah	Gorman Sophie	Goltra John C.	Goltra Mrs. Alice	Goltra Ralph	Heiney Mrs. Ollie	Hedger Ruth	Hedger Mrs. E. N.	Hastings Lambert	Hastings Mrs. E.	Hodapp Benedict	Hodapp Mrs. B.	Heim Harry	Heim Lerna	Heim Jos	Heim Mrs. Lizzie	Heim Adelle	Heim F. J.	Heim Ernest	Hempel H. F.	Hempel Mrs. M.	Hempel William	Henry Frank E.	Johnson David	Johnson Sarah	Johnson Jas F.	Johnson David A.	Johnson David	Johnson Mabel	Joyce Martin	Joyce Mary	Joyce Grattan	Joyce Sallie	Joyce William	Keirl Samuel	Keirl Jane	Keirl William	Keirl Nellie	Kitner J. F.	Kitner Eliza Jane	Klamforth Mrs. H.	Klamforth Wm	Koyne Anthony	Koyne Mrs. Chas.	Koyne George	Koyne Mrs. M.	Koyne May E.	Koyne George M.	Koyne Leo M.	Koyne John	Koyne Mrs. Kate	Koyne John Jr.	Koyne Mrs. Mary	Koyne Mrs. Ellen	Lawless Katherine	Lawless Wm H.	Lawless Laura	Lawson George	Lawson Mrs. Geo	Lawson Frank	Lawson Abbie J.	Lawson Mrs. Sarah	Leach John	Leach Mrs. B.	Lewis Charles	Lockman David	Lockman John	Lockman Frank	Lockman Edward	Lockman Mrs. A. E.	Lowell W. R.	Lowell Laura	Lowell Jennie	Lowell Bryan	Lowder Elmer E.	Lowder Mrs. Annie	Lowder Nancy	Meline Lenora	Martin Wm E.	Martin Mary E.	Martin Albert	Martin Mary	Martin Willie	Mick John	Moore John M.	Mueller Fritz	Mueller Lillie	Mueller Emma	Mueller Lydia	McAllister Mrs. J.	McAllister Maria	McComb M. M.	McComb Lizzie	McComb Nettie	McDonough John
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NEW THEORY ON DIGESTION

Paralysis of the Stomach.
When you have water-brash, feel sick at the stomach, have gas or wind on it, or feel as though you had a ball or heavy weight in the pit of the stomach after eating, and the nerves and muscles of that organ cease to act and digest your food, that stoppage in the process of digestion, to call it properly, is Paralysis of the Stomach, and should be treated as such. It is perfect folly to assist the stomach with digestive remedies and stimulants to dissolve the undigested food. You may get relief, but at the next meal you suffer again. The proper treatment is to build up the worn out muscles and nerves of the stomach so that it can do its own work without assistance, and not only digest the food you eat today but tomorrow and forever after; as is done by the use of Dr. Chase's Blood and Nerve Food and Liver Food, which have an immediate action on the nerves and muscles, that control digestion. The price of the Blood and Nerve Food, 50 cents, five boxes \$2.00; the Liver Food 25 cents, five boxes \$1.00. The genuine is made only by The Dr. Chase Co., Philadelphia, Pa. For sale by LEE P. ALLCOTT.

McDonough Sarah	McDonough Annie	McDonough Jno J.	McDonough Wm	McDonough Jos E.	Morrow Mrs. Ellen	McGrath William	McGrath Mrs. Wm	McGrath Thomas	McGrath John	McKeen W. F.	McKeen Mrs. W. F.	Murphy Dennis	Neighbors Miss E.	Nelley Miss M. J.	Ornelas Edward	Ornelas Mrs. Edw.	Palmer Robt W.	Palmer Mrs. R. W.	Patterson Jas A.	Patterson Alex	Patterson Mollie	Patterson John	Patterson Stella	Pitts John	Pierson Bessie	Phelan Gertrude	Phelan George	Quinn Mrs. T.	Ransom John	Ransom Chas L.	Reid J. H.	Reid Mrs. J. H.	Reynolds E. A.	Ribelin D. F.	Ring Patrick	Ring James	Robison Mary A.	Roley Minnie	Chadwick Wm	Rudy Sarah	Ryan Miss A. M.	Schofield Ernest	Schofield Robert	Schofield Nancy	Schumacher S.	Schumacher Henry	Selby Harvey H.	Shanahan Mrs. Wm	Shanahan P. F.	Shanahan James	Shanahan M. H.	Shanahan Edward	Shanahan Henry	Sheppard Herman	Sheppard Kate	Simpkins Thos	Simpkins Mrs. Ann	Simpkins Geo W.	Simpkins Fannie A.	Smith G. Wesley	Smith Annie R.	Smith Roy	Smith Mrs. M. M.	Smith Clyde	Smith Grace	Sorell Harvey	Sorell Earl	Standish Mrs. F.	Standish Ida	Story Ella	Sullivan Julia	Summers Caroline	Summers Harry	Swanson Solomon	Swanson Christine	Swanson Selma	Swanson Charles	Scott Miss Georgia	Sherry Miss Ella	Scott Charles B.	Taylor Barry	Taylor Mrs. M. M.	Taylor Francis E.	Tazewell Wm A.	Tazewell Rosa	Tazewell Harry	Tendick Matilda	Tendick Anna E.	Thies Fred H.	Thies Mrs. F. H.	Thies George	Thies Walter	Thies Mabel	Thies Edna	Thies Mrs. Louisa	Thies Anna	Thompson P. E.	Tobin Edward	Tobin Mary	Tobin Annie	Tracy John	Tracy Mrs. John	Tracy Ella	Warcup E. W.	Winters David	Winters Lillie	Winters Bessie	Winters F. D.	Woods Mrs. Rhoda	Worrall Joe F.	Worrall Katie	Wyller F. S.	Wilmuth Miss M.	Worrall Mrs. J.	Worrall Lillie	Worrall Henry	Woulfe Mrs. P. J.	Woulfe Mrs. P. J.	Woulfe Margaret A.	Weigand Miss L.
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NEW FOG TO RIVER GERMS.

New York, April 12.—Experiments on the efficiency of an old formula known as the Bordeaux mixture for the purification of water and the destruction of fever germs as well as mosquitoes in stagnant pools and marshes is under way in this city. Members of the medical profession are watching the work with interest but no definite report has yet been made by the chemical division of the health department and the officials say the work has not progressed far enough to establish the value of the discovery made recently by the agricultural department at Washington. It is asserted by officials of the agricultural department that the mixture, a preparation of copper sulphate, lime and water, used for many years in spraying fruit trees, is shown by the work of experts in the south to be an absolute eradicator of typhoid fever and malaria germs and that the water systems of large cities can be purified at small expense. Owing to the danger in the use of the formula except by experts it never had been tried on water until recently, when a government agent visited the south in the hope of finding means of destroying a disease reported to be attacking watercourses and other aquatic vegetation. He is reported to have found the mixture not only destroyed the fever germs in an hour, but caused all frog slime in the pond to sink and clarified the water so that it could be used for the table. The officials say it is one of the greatest strides in recent years toward improving the public health.

ADVERTISED LETTERS.

remaining in the postoffice at Jacksonville, Ill., for the week ending April 12, 1900. Persons desiring for above letters must say "Advertised" and give the date of list. Letters should be addressed to street and number in order to have them delivered promptly.

LADIES.
Briggs Mrs. Luella
Lipe Dora
Rallen Mrs. E. J.
Bridge Mrs. Harriet
Moss Mrs. Sarah F.
Walsh Mrs. Emma
GENTLEMEN.
Barter Wm A.
Coole Delbert
Holden Sylvester
Parker C. M.
Baker Percy A.
Bryant John
Gunnaway Thos
Hesson N. Y. (for)
Rose George L.
Watson R. W.
Walters Geo.

A HAPPY MOTHER

WEATHERFORD, TEXAS, May 14, 1900.

Before my baby was born I was in great misery. I was just able to get up but just as soon as I began to take Wine of Cardui, which had been recommended to me, I felt much better. In fact I feel that if it had not been for this medicine I would not have been strong enough to live through childbirth. But that was made comparatively easy by taking your medicine for four months before baby came. Wine of Cardui restored my health as I took it two months afterward. I cannot speak too highly of Wine of Cardui and I am glad to endorse it.

Wine of Cardui is a powerful tonic which acts on the generative organs of women, regulating menstruation and giving tone and strength to the organs which inflammation and weakness have affected. It cures ninety out of every twenty cases of bearing-down pains or ovarian trouble.

Wine of Cardui cures barrenness and aids the mother in conserving her strength for the ordeal of childbirth. After that event the Wine prevents dangerous flooding and helps mothers to quick recovery. Wine of Cardui is the one medicine a mother should use before and after childbirth.

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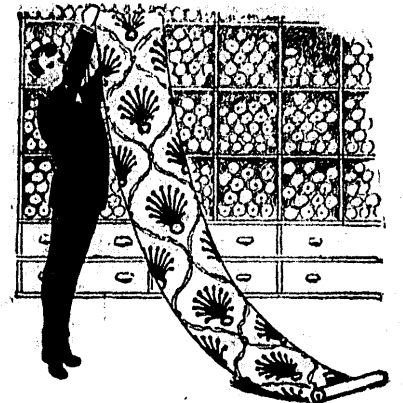
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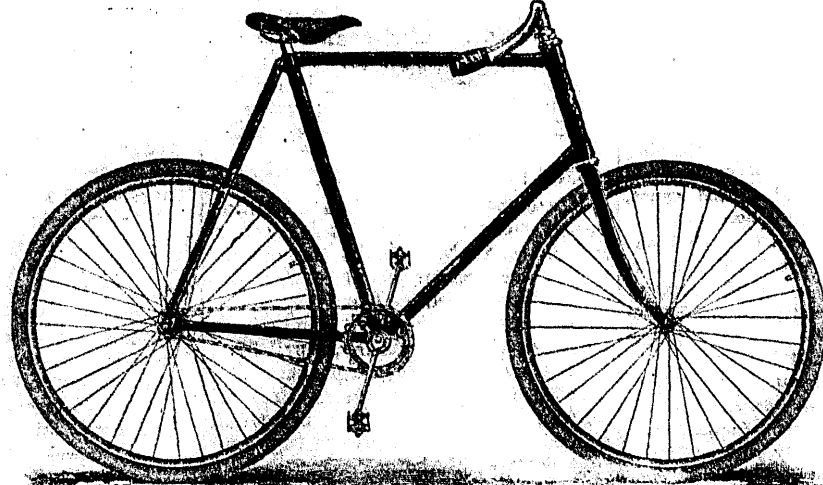
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JACKSONVILLE TIME CARD

Time of departure of trains	
GOING NORTH	
C. P. & St. L.	
Peoria, daily	7:00 am
Peoria, daily	8:00 pm
Peoria, ex. frt., ex. Sunday	11:00 am
C. & A.	
Chicago-Peoria	8:00 am
Chicago, ex. Sunday	1:30 pm
Chicago-Peoria	8:00 pm
For Chicago	9:00 pm
SOUTH AND WEST	
J. & St. L.	
For St. Louis	7:00 am
For St. Louis	8:00 pm
C. & A.	
For Kansas City	10:00 am
For Kansas City and St. Louis	11:47 am
For Kansas City	8:00 pm
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	7:30 am
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	4:00 pm
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	8:00 pm
For St. Louis, ex. Sunday	9:00 pm
GOING EAST	
Wabash	
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	7:00 am
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	8:00 pm
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	10:10 am
For Hannibal, Quincy and Kansas City	1:40 pm
GOING WEST	
Wabash	
For Toledo	8:07 am
For Toledo	8:54 pm
For Toledo	9:10 pm
For Toledo	10:10 pm
FROM NORTH	
C. P. & St. L., daily	10:15 am
C. P. & St. L., daily	7:00 pm
C. P. & St. L., ex. Sunday	9:45 am
FROM SOUTH	
J. & St. L.	
J. & St. L.	11:00 am
J. & St. L.	9:00 pm
C. & A., ex. Sunday	11:40 am
C. & A., ex. Sunday	8:10 pm



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City and County

Miss Lulu Hopper is numbered among the sick.

Mrs. Albert Runkle is visiting friends in Decatur.

A. J. Travis, of Panna, was a visitor here yesterday.

James Ransom is visiting at his home in Pittsfield.

Arthur Ellis is ill at his home on North Church street.

C. Cooper went to Carlville on business yesterday.

Albert Vance, of Chapin, was a caller in the city yesterday.

S. Arnold was among the Chapin visitors here Tuesday.

C. E. Benedict, of Chicago, was a caller in the city yesterday.

J. D. Jaeger, of Waverly, was in the city Tuesday on business.

S. A. Glasgow, of Woodson, spent Tuesday in the city on business.

Mrs. L. Hyler, of Neely's, was in the city shopping yesterday.

Richard Duncan, of Franklin, was in the city trading yesterday.

M. Potefish, of Virginia, was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Joseph Duckwall, of Lynnville, was in the city Tuesday on business.

Mrs. Robert Allen, of Riggs, was visiting in the city Tuesday.

Robert Henley was in Concord Tuesday on professional business.

Mrs. M. L. Browning was among the Waverly visitors here Tuesday.

E. B. Smith left on his far west trip for J. Capps & Sons yesterday.

Mrs. Walter Rice, of Arnold, was in the city Tuesday visiting friends.

John Dodsworth, of Lynnville, was transacting business in the city Tuesday.

Thomas Harmon, of Sinclair, transacted business in the city yesterday.

William C. Hagener was among the visitors here from Beardstown Tuesday.

Mrs. Pearl Stewart, of Sinclair, was among the visitors here yesterday.

William Anderson spent Sunday in Havana. He reports the river as twenty feet deep and three miles wide.

M. Tobin, of Chapin, was among the business visitors in the city Tuesday.

V. T. O'Donald, claim agent of the Wabash, was here from Decatur yesterday.

Mrs. Pearl Stewart, of Sinclair, spent Tuesday in the city with friends.

Mrs. Harry Hart, of Franklin, was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

George W. VanZandt, of Petersburg, was a visitor in the city yesterday.

H. D. Cooper, of Chapin, was conversing with Jacksonville friends yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Queen, of Waverly, transacted business in the city Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Gates left Tuesday for an extended pleasure visit in Chicago.

Misses Annie Harmon and Barbara Schirz have gone to Shipman for a visit with friends.

Mrs. J. E. Likes and daughter, Delta, of Chapin, were Tuesday visitors in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Schofield, of Lynnville, were in the city visiting friends yesterday.

Mrs. Jerry Collins, of Markham, was in the city Tuesday, the guest of Mrs. P. J. Meany.

Richard Sullivan, county treasurer of Sangamon county, spent Tuesday in the city on business.

T. B. Fozzard, of the Ebenezer neighborhood, was among the business visitors here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Duncan, Jr., of Manchester, were in the city yesterday visiting friends.

G. W. Walker will leave for Richmond, Va., this morning on business. He will be gone several weeks.

John Purcell and family, of Virginia, have moved to this city, where they will reside in the future.

Mrs. Thomas Scott and daughter, Miss Annie, both of Chapin, were in the city shopping yesterday.

Mrs. J. E. Fairbank and Mrs. L. M. Caldwell are expected home from a six weeks' visit in Hot Springs Thursday.

Miss Hilda Brockmeier returned to Carlville yesterday, after visiting with Mrs. Charles Gilman, of this city.

Mrs. H. A. Gieseking and son, Arthur, of Carlville, are guests of the family of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gilman.

J. W. Bridgman, of Arenzville, was among the visitors in the city yesterday, looking after business matters.

Corn, oats, baled hay, straw, coal and ground feed. Harrigan Bros., Either phone No. 9.

Mrs. G. L. Snively and little daughter were in the city yesterday enroute to Virginia to visit Mrs. Snively's parents.

Mrs. Sadie Lynch, of Chapin, was among the visitors in the city Tuesday to attend the Keating-Morrissey wedding.

Dr. and Mrs. L. Wilcox, of Chandler, returned home yesterday, after attending the Morrissey-Keating wedding.

Mrs. A. H. Bell has returned to her home in Carlville, after visiting her daughter, Mrs. F. E. Baldwin, of this city.

Miss Olive Laugaman returned to Springfield yesterday, after attending the Morrissey-Keating nuptials here Tuesday.

John Holly, formerly the champion chicken picker with W. C. Ennis & Co., is now night baggage handler at the Pacific hotel.

Mrs. George Mathews returned yesterday to her home in Earlton, Kan., after visiting in this city and vicinity with relatives.

J. W. Walton will serve the people well as member of the board of education and the people will put him there next Tuesday.

Mrs. Richard Reynolds and children left yesterday for Glasgow, Mo., for a month's visit with her father and sister in that city.

J. W. Walton will suit the people of the Fourth ward for member of the board of education and they will say so next Tuesday.

Don't fail to go early to the polls next Tuesday and cast your vote for J. A. Obermeyer for member of the board of education in the Third ward.

It is important to have the right men on the board of education and in the Third ward J. A. Obermeyer is that kind. Elect him next Tuesday.

Mrs. Lee Koehler, of Franklin, returned to her home yesterday, after visiting her mother, Mrs. Pres Brown of this city.

Wm. Anderson, G. V. Skinner and Harry Hopper, Sr., left this morning for Bloomington, where they will represent the local union in the State Horse Shoers' association.

Mrs. W. C. P. Ayers and daughter, Mrs. Arthur Reed and children, returned to St. Louis yesterday, after attending the funeral of her son, Harry Ayers, held here Monday.

Rev. H. M. Hamill, of Nashville, Tenn., is in the city for a visit of a few days with former friends. He finds things very familiar at his old home and there are many who will be glad to greet him.

Only \$3.00 to Kansas City and return via the Alton 10:50 p. m. Friday, April 15, reaching Kansas City 8:00 a. m. and returning leave Kansas City 7 p. m. Sunday, April 17. Arrive Jacksonville 5:30 a. m. Tourist sleepers 7 p. m. Sunday, April 17. Arrive Jacksonville on these trains in both directions. \$1.00 per double berth.

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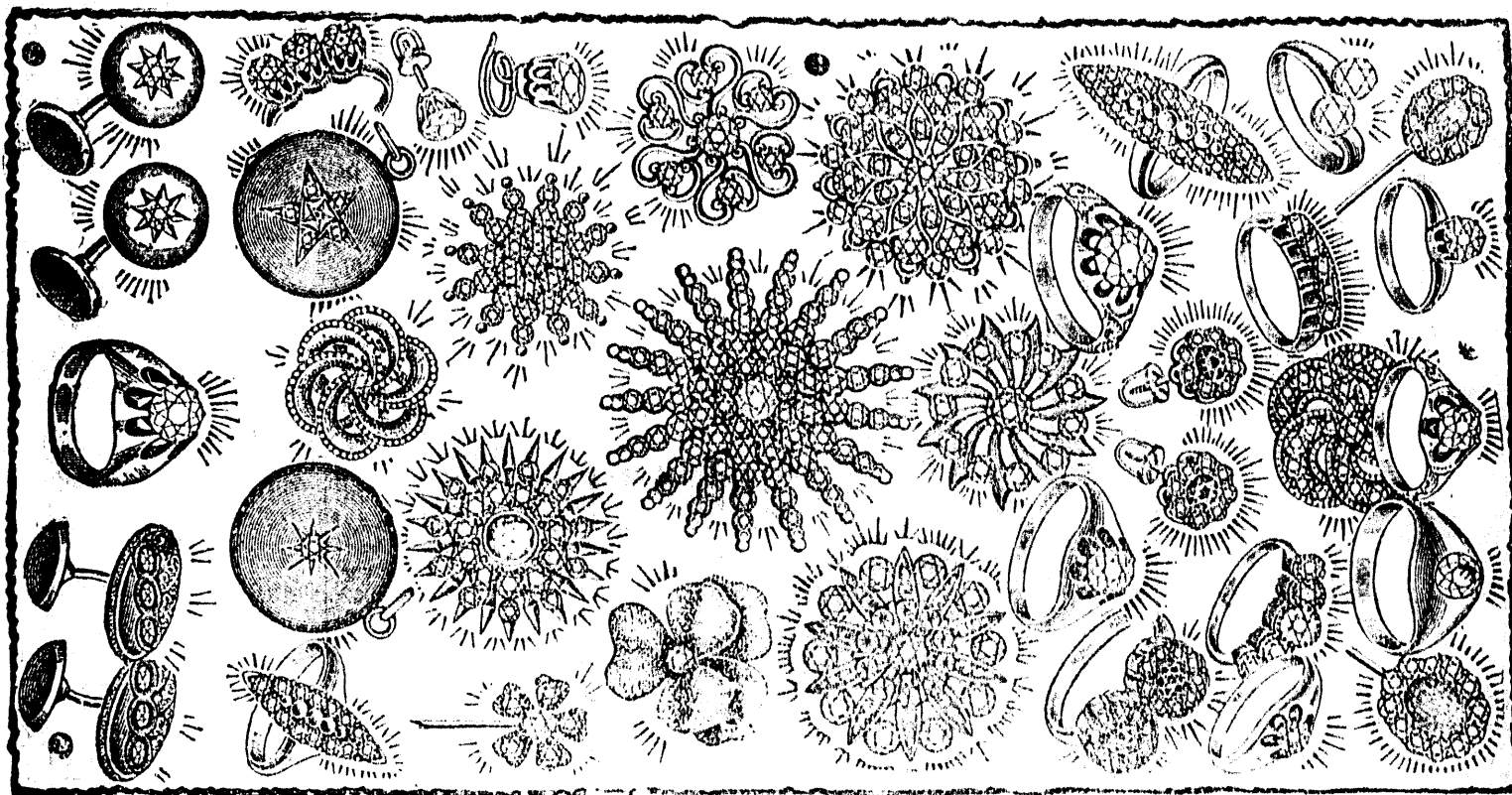
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A PHENOMENAL CURE.

There is probably no medicine in the world that cures a case of the blues, melancholia or overwork as quickly as a dose of that musical farce comedy, "Peck's Bad Boy," to be at the Grand Theatre, April 14.

It is pleasant to take, the relief is instantaneous, for you will laugh and scream until the blues are a thing of the past. The piece has been rewritten and brought up to date, until hardly a visage of the old play remains. The cast is said to be one of the best ever seen in the piece. Each artist is a strong specialty. The piece is replete with quartets, duets, and medleys of all the latest popular airs, and staged with new scenery and beautiful costumes.

New rain proof suitings and covers for walking skirts and coats, new fancy silks for shirt waist suits, new white fabrics for graduation gowns, special bargains in black taffeta silks, beautiful new laces and swiss embroidery, new silk and hosiery, new summer hosiery and underwear, all ready at the lowest possible price.
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SOME OMISSIONS.

The following were omitted in the list furnished the Journal of those who took part in the carnival:

The Italian girls who danced and sang were: Vivian Whitmer, Marie Piepenbrink.

The Jap chorus was composed of Ruth Simpson, Iola Waters, Dorothy Damskin, Annie Pires, Gardner Woods, Cochran, O. B. Huffaker and William Allcott.

Come to the debate between J. H. S. and Springfield High Sch.

SEVERELY BURNED.

Waverly, April 12.—Ralph Rodgers, son of Samuel Rodgers, was badly burned this morning while playing around a fire with a can of kerosene. The can exploded and set fire to his clothing. His grandmother, hearing his screams, took a blanket and wrapped it around him, putting out the fire. He was badly burned on the feet and limbs.

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A. Henderson to J. T. Ferreira, part lot 6, etc., Enos' north addition; \$300.

E. Watkins to E. E. Mayer, lot 25, J. Allen's addition; \$1.

J. A. Sloan to T. Keating, c/o lots 14, 15, 16 and 17, Yates & Green's addition; \$1,050.

Plat of C. & A. surveys No. 1 and 2, part of south half of 6-16 S., filed for record.

The Swellest line of buggies, surreys, phaetons and driving wagons; call and see them. Lashmet & Breckon.

ELKS NOTICE.

Jacksonville Lodge No. 682, B. P. O. E., will hold their regular session Wednesday evening, April 13, at 7:30 o'clock. The degrees will be given a large class. Installation of officers for ensuing year will take place. A full attendance is desired.

F. L. Sharpe, E. R. George W. Scott, Sec.

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Apple, peach, cherry, pear, plum, shade trees, fruit plants etc. at Baldwin's city sale yard, corner East State and East streets. Phone, 111, 49.

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NOTICE.

The regular meeting of the M. P. L. No. 269 will be held to night. Business of importance. Come.

A TEXAS WONDER.

One small bottle of the Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, cures all kidney and bladder troubles, removes gravel, cures diabetes, seminal emissions, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularities of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women; regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist it will be sent by mail on receipt of \$1. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Dr. E. W. Hall, sole manufacturer, P. O. box 929, St. Louis, Mo. Send for testimonials. Sold by J. A. Obermeyer, City Drug Store.

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Jacksonville, Ill., Aug. 21, 1901.—For twelve years I have suffered from sweet diabetes and have spent hundreds of dollars with various doctors, with but little benefit. I was recommended to try a bottle of Texas Wonder, Hall's Great Discovery, and with cheerful testimony to the public that it did me more good than all things else put together and am altogether another man. I have persuaded many of my friends to try it.

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WANTED—ROOMS AND BOARD.

All persons having rooms, or who can furnish board during the Elks state meeting, to be held in this city May 3 and 4, will please leave names and addresses with Joseph Burgess, at the Burgess shoe store, north side square.

F. J. Andrews,
Chairman Hotel Com.

FUNERAL NOTICE.

The remains of M. P. Kehoe, of Barborton, Ohio, will arrive in the city this (Wednesday) evening and be taken to the residence of Mrs. N. B. Hopper, 405 North Fayette street, where friends desiring to view the remains may do so after 6 o'clock.

The funeral will be held from the Church of Our Savior Thursday morning at 9 o'clock. Interment in Calvary cemetery.

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2-lb. can choice tomatoes50
2-lb. can tomatoes50
2-lb. can apples50
2-lb. can Early June peas50
2-lb. can table peaches50
2-lb. can pink salmon50
2-lb. can red salmon50
3 boxes Cero Fruto50
3 boxes Blanco Cero50
3 boxes Malt Nut50
Fancy home-dried apples, lb.50
1-gal. jar sweet, sour, plain or mixed pickles50
Old Govt. Java coffee, 35c, or 3 lbs.50
Santos Mocha, lb.50
Choice Mocha, lb.50
Sun-cured Japan tea, per lb., only40
Finest Imperial, Hyson, Gunpowder, Oolong and Ceylon tea, lb.50
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C. L. HAYDEN.

Alaska is a great empire, of the vast size of which few people have any conception. It is more than 550 times as large as Rhode Island and nearly equals in area all of the States of the Union East of the Mississippi river.

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Science now surmises that by the processes of evolution man has lost an eye which was formerly on the top of his head. Did scientists ever joke it might be suspected that this was another satire on the materialistic tenancies of the times.

There are about 13,381 sea going steam vessels of over 100 tons. Of these Great Britain has 5,929, aggregating about 14,000,000 gross tons, while the United States has 843, aggregating little more than one and one-half million tons.

KEIFER'S RETURN.

Hon. Joseph Warren Keifer has been nominated for representative in congress by the Republicans of the Seventh Ohio district. The present representative, Hon. Thomas Harton Kyle, was elected by a majority of 4,387 over the Democratic opponent. So the return of Mr. Keifer to the next congress is certain. He will come back after an absence of twenty years.

General Keifer served with gallantry and distinction through the civil war. He entered the house in 1877, and was elected speaker of the Forty-seventh congress (1881-1883). The Republican majority in the house was of the scantiest. In the senate it was up and down—37 Democrats—37 Republicans; Gen. William Mahone, of Virginia, Readjuster; David Davis, of Illinois, Independent, who was president pro tem of the senate, and acting vice president. It was a time of close decisions, of great partisan bitterness, of still more acid bitterness between the two wings of the Republican party. The so-called tidal wave of 1882 cut down the Republican representation in the house from 152 to 118 and swelled the Democratic side from 130 to 196. In view of the conditions there was nothing to be wondered at in these changes. Speaker Keifer had a hard task, and for a long time hard measure was given him. But these old animosities, so noisy once, are silent now. "Stalwart" and "Halfbreed" are become almost as hazy and in need of definition to the new generation as "Loosefoot" and "Barnburner." General Keifer will come back to a new world of politics and begin his career anew. We cannot doubt that he will receive something of that consideration and respect which was shown to another and older returning speaker, Hon. Galusha Aaron Grow, of Pennsylvania.

Death sweeps away the figures in the moving row of politics so swiftly that an almost forgotten person, emerging after a long disappearance, is apt to find welcome. In the senate there are still a few of the men who sat in it when General Keifer and Hale; Connettient, Platt and General Hawley, Hoar, Morgan, Al- linson, Aldrich, Teller, Cockrell, Gorman—himself restored after an intermission—still adorn the scene; but most of the old familiar faces are gone. Hon. George Graham Vest is witty and amiable still, although his body has tried to punish him for the brilliancy of his mind. Hon. Henry W. Blair still breathes great philanthropies from New Hampshire, which loves him too much to send him to Washington again.

Of the members of the house in the Forty-seventh congress, Joe Cannon has had promotion. Hepburn is now a powerful person; Bingham, of Pennsylvania, is the father of the house; Benton McMillin is governor of Tennessee; Joe Blackburn, H. D. Money, J. C. Barrows are senators. John G. Carlisle, General Keifer's successor as speaker, is an honored citizen of New York; Roger Q. Mills, who could not be speaker, is worse than dead, we suppose—that is, he is a phutocrat and glad of it. "Horizontal Bill" Morrison is living in Waterloo, Ill. How soon some great names and issues collect cobwebs. John H. Reagan, of Texas, is still on deck. Emory Speer, of Georgia, is a United States judge. Gen. Joe Wheeler needs no introduction. John A. Kasson is a busy diplomatist. Another diplomatist is Perry Belmont. Benjamin W. Harris, of Massachusetts, once a well known personage and head of the committee on naval affairs, is a judge of probate in Plymouth county. Hilary W. Herbert, afterward secretary of the navy, lives in Washington. And soon.

It was a distinguished house, as every house is. Its most famous member in its own day was Alexander H. Stephens, of Georgia. William McKim, Jr., was serving his third term. Of the other deceased mem-

bers, distinguished in various ways and degrees, we may mention Thomas B. Reed, Nelson Dingley, Jr., Abram S. Hewitt, Frank Hisecock, S. S. Cox, Benjamin Wood, George M. Robeson, William D. Kelley, J. Proctor Knott, William S. Roscerans, George D. Robinson, Roswell G. Horr, Richard P. Bland, Benjamin Butterworth. How quickly the actors change! A Washington correspondent must be or feel himself the oldest man in the world.
—New York Sun.

JAPAN'S RESOURCES.

Sacrifices are Being Made in All Ranks of Society.

The following article from the pen of Rev. James H. Potter, special missionary correspondent for the Congregationalist and Christian Herald, appeared in that publication recently and calls attention to a number of significant facts in regard to Japan's side of the war question:

And first to the thought of a practical westerner comes the matter of money. Whatever else war may or may not be it is expensive. Has plucky Japan counted the cost of a tower of national military fame or measured her ability to encounter an enemy outnumbering herself more than two to one? The world at large apparently believes she has not and that her bravery is but rashness for which she will pay generously in the bitter days to come. Let us look into this matter for a moment.

The government's estimate for war expenses is yen 1,000,000 a day, apparently a reasonably secure one. Four-fifths of this returns to the Japanese. At the opening of the present year when war talk grew heated and imperial urgency ordinance authorized the use for the purpose of meeting material outlays of various sums of money standing on special accounts. These aggregated, roughly speaking, a hundred and hundred million yen. (A yen is about fifty cents).

Election occurred March 1, and one of the first duties of the new diet will be to find the funds for carrying on a long warfare. While there is strong opposition in certain quarters to the present cabinet and some distrust of Baron Sone, the treasury minister, there is no anti-war party in the country. The people are prepared in their own minds to push the struggle to its end and to pay the bills therefor. Their representatives may differ as to the best forms of increased taxation, but necessary war taxes as such find no opposers.

A domestic loan of one hundred million yen at five per cent has just been covered twice over and the returns are not all in yet. In order to strengthen the reserve of the bank of Japan the emperor has already contributed some ninety thousand yen worth of old gold and silver coins and intimated that much more will be forthcoming if need arises. The emperor has given diamonds, gold chains, hollow and other valuables. Marquis Tokugawa, former lord of Mito, handed the bank recently ninety thousand yen worth of coins and hollow stored in his mansion, while Mr. Sanoda, a bank president, made a deeply impressive speech at a meeting of journalists and business magnates urging them to bring out their valuables for this momentous crisis in the life of the nation. The next day he sent seven gold cups and a gold chain, with a promise of more to follow. These are simply samples showing the temper of the people and the lengths to which they will go if the need for golden shewers further appears.

Japan's foreign commerce last year footed up six hundred million yen. Now a nation with such reserves and doing such a business can endure a long and severe fiscal strain.

But this is not all. Economy is being preached from one end of the land to the other. The emperor has reduced his table fare from two heavy Japanese and one foreign meal a day to three light Japanese ones. Light in this connection refers not to quantity but variety, here as ordinarily he is served with two kinds of soup and five other dishes (beside rice) at the morning and evening meals, one kind of soup and two other plates of food, with of course as many bowls of boiled rice as he may require.

Expensive feasting is tabooed all over the land. Even farewell entertainments to the sons of nobles as they start for the front are now of the simplest sort. Mr. M. Kammori, one of the original Kumamoto band that formed the first graduating class at the Doshisha, who was afterward for fourteen years a prominent Kumamoto pastor at Okayama, Kyoto and Tokyo, but who later withdrew from the ministry, is stamping the country in the interests of financial reform. He is a sort of confidential employee of the national treasury department and goes about addressing mass meetings in theatres, temples, churches, town halls and school buildings. His strong speeches are serious on economies. He is teaching the people how to economize, live within their means, invest a certain proportion of their earnings and be more industrious.

Modern Japan is growing daily more frugal, industrious and financially alert. She is husbanding her resources and steadily increasing her working capital. But there is one further consideration, that of the real man behind the guns. Is he growing larger or smaller, stronger or weaker in body and in brain? To any one at all conversant with recent Japanese history the question answers itself. Here is a nation at school with military exercises at the head of the curriculum. She has as many children in her schools and as many persons in her realm who can read and write as her huge Muscovite neighbor. She uses up-to-date text books and general school apparatus. From kindergarten to university she is paying the best attention to all these branches

of knowledge that build up body, brain and soul.

The corner stone of her ethics is national weal. The most accidental of oriental nations she happily combines the doing and the dreaming. She has high ideals and works away at their realization. She inherits twelve centuries of mystical militarism and twelve more of undoubted heretic history. Her soldiers are growing taller and her youth more robust. Exact statistics show that her farmer fighters of to day are actually superior in several important respects to her Samurai soldiers of two generations ago.

In the recent abortive attempt to block the channel of Port Arthur, the seventy-seven Japanese were selected from more than two thousand volunteers for that hazardous venture. Many of these offers were stamped with human blood, and the last letters of the seventy-seven braves were written in their own blood, the end of a finger being cut off for that purpose. Fortunately only one life was sacrificed, but the willingness of all to die is instructive.

Add to all these considerations the unshaken faith of the nation in itself and its high destiny and no one need fear the outcome of even a "war of exhaustion." Russia's latest threat, Japan is prepared for a one, two or three-year war. She can extend that preparation much farther. Long before her coal and iron, her muscle and mettle are exhausted the enemy will cry enough or the world will put an end to the strife.

Said an earnest-spirited Japanese to the writer a few moments ago: "Thus far we have shed our sweat only. We shall yet shed tears and blood. But we shall win. It will be Japan's new baptism into a larger, stronger and holier life." A nation with such a training and such a spirit cannot be beaten.
Okayama, Japan.

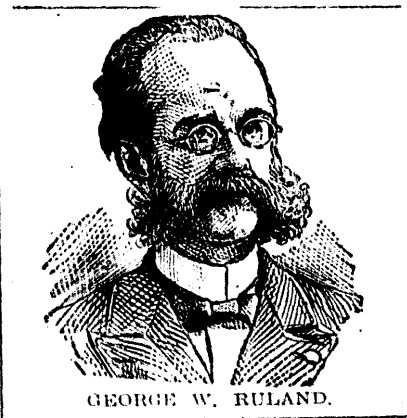
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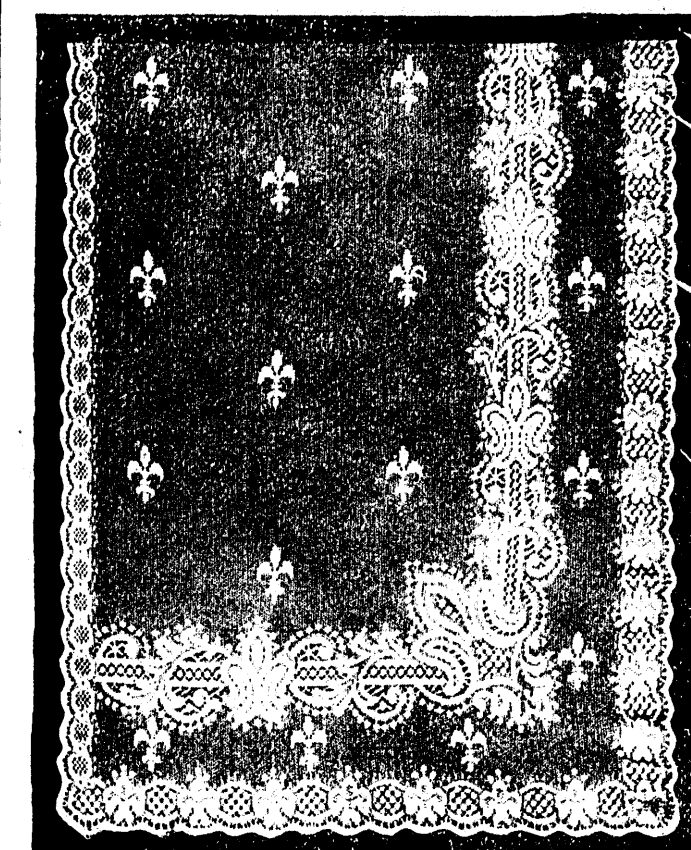
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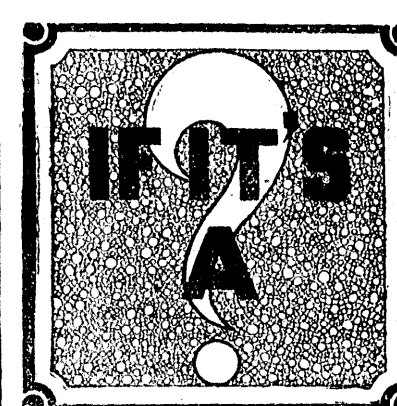
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City and County

T. D. Heimlich was in Beumt yesterday on business.

Mrs. Lee Skiles, of Virginia, was in the city yesterday.

Miss Lulu Harding, of St. Louis, is a guest of friends in this city.

W. F. Widmayer, of Springfield, was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

See Hopper's new adv.

Frank Schafer left yesterday for St. Louis, where he has secured employment.

Charles B. Joy, of Joy Prairie, was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Lyman Pratt, of Joy Prairie, was among the shoppers who drove to the city yesterday.

10c GLASSWARE; RAYHILL'S.

Watson Leck's new grocery will be found the place for excellent family supplies of all kinds.

Albert Renner is in Chicago in the interest of the Jacksonville Custom Tailoring company.

Mrs. C. C. Carter, who has been suffering with pneumonia for six weeks, is slowly improving.

Rummage sale Friday and Saturday, south side square; next Hopper's.

Corn, oats, baled hay and straw, all kinds of ground feed; coal, at Harrington's; either phone No. 9.

Albert Chase has returned from Keokuk, where he has been pursuing a medical course for the past few months.

Fresh country produce and the best of the markets at Watson Leck's grocery, T. H. Curtis' old stand, East State street.

SEE the 25c WINDOW at RAYHILL'S.

Mrs. D. W. Frackelton and daughter, of Petersburg, are visiting at the home of Mrs. Frackelton's mother on Webster avenue.

The Murray news stand has been removed from its location in the opera house to Cully & Metz' barber shop on East State street.

Remember the delightful entertainment at Jordan Street church tomorrow evening. Stereopticon tour of the Hawaiian islands. Be there.

George W. VanZandt, of Petersburg, was calling on some of his old time friends in the city yesterday and they were glad to see him.

The young ladies of the west end will give a leap year dance at Piepenbring's hall Thursday evening.

There will be a business meeting of the Twentieth Century club at the residence of Mrs. Gates Strawn Thursday morning at 11 o'clock.

South Side Aid market, Saturday, next to Hopper & Son's store.

Tuesday morning Sol Hoffman was taken rather suddenly ill and was unable to go to his place of business. There seem to be no symptoms of anything serious, however.

Articles for the South Side Aid rummage sale Friday and Saturday should be left at the store room Friday morning. Contributions to the market should be left Saturday.

Trains are again running over the Quincy division of the Wabash, the washout at Perry Springs having been repaired. The water is rapidly receding, having fallen five inches Monday and about the same Tuesday.

SEE OUR WINDOW of 25c SALADS, CAKES, PITCHERS, PLATTERS and LARGE FRUIT BOWLS. RAYHILL'S CHINA STORE.

Professor Beal, of Illinois college, and several students from his surveying class are engaged in surveying a roadway one and three-fourths miles near the distillery. The road cuts through land owned by Messrs. Noonan, Baptist, Kennedy and others.

Remember the election for members of the board of education is something which all interested in the welfare of the schools should attend. J. A. Obermeyer, in the Third ward, and J. W. Walton, in the Fourth; next Tuesday.

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MEIER HEXTER DEAD.

Meier Hexter, a prominent merchant of Ashland, fell dead at the door of his store room in that city Monday night about 9 o'clock. He had been in the Woodmen hall and after coming down had gone several doors to his store room, and fell while in the act of unlocking the door.

Mr. Hexter is well known in this city. A friend of his here said last evening: "He was a man of great personal worth, and though apparently distant and reserved in manner, was possessed of many excellent qualities which recommended him to all with whom he came into intimate relations." He was a Mason, an Odd Fellow and a Woodman.

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MISS BICKFORD POISONED. Relatives of Miss Katie Bickford, of Chapin, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. H. C. Freeman, of Los Angeles, Cal., have received word that she had been poisoned and was taken to a hospital. Particulars are not at hand, but it is believed Miss Bickford was poisoned from eating oranges or orange peel, the same cause that resulted in the death of one of Mrs. Freeman's children a week or more ago. Friends here will anxiously await further news.

Black Flag Friday night.

BOX SOCIAL.

A box social was held Tuesday evening at the Centenary church and the large crowd present enjoyed a very pleasant time. The proceeds are to go to the foreign mission cause and a neat sum was realized. Excellent music was furnished by Ewert's orchestra. Much credit is due to the ladies of the committee in charge, who were as follows: Miss O. Tyrrell, chairman; Mrs. Edward Kinney, Miss M. Bonn, Miss Isabella Baldwin, Miss Jane Boyd and Mrs. H. L. Griswold.

Special prices on shoes at Hoffman Bros.

CALICO BALL.

The Ladies of the Maccabees will give a calico ball in Odeon hall April 14. Prizes will be awarded the best two-step and waltz dancer. All are invited. Admission 25c. All Sir Knights are cordially invited.

For satisfaction in millinery by all means go to Herman's.

"SURPRISE" SOCIAL.

The Baptist Young People will give a "Surprise" social in the parlors of the Baptist church Thursday evening, April 14, to which the public is invited. Everything free.

NOTICE.

Opera house news stand will move to Cully & Metz' barber shop on East State street. Will handle full line of cigars and daily papers.

H. M. Murray.

Corsets fitted this week without charge at Hoffman Bros.

APRIL WEDDING.

Brilliant Nuptials at Church of Our Savior.

One of the most beautiful weddings that has taken place in Jacksonville for many months, was celebrated at the Church of Our Savior at 10 o'clock Tuesday morning, when Miss Katherine Imelda Keating became the bride of Mr. William M. Morrissey. The church edifice was most brilliantly lighted and tasteful decorations, consisting of a profusion of palms and carnations, made a scene of beauty, indeed. The solemn and imposing nuptial high mass of the Catholic church was said in a most impressive manner by the Very Rev. Dean Crowe.

The bridal party entered promptly at the hour named, to the strains of the bridal chorus from Lohengrin, skillfully played by Professor Wortman. The bridesmaids proceeded down the middle aisle of the church and the groomsmen approached the altar by the east aisle. First came the ribbon bearers, Misses Aileen Harmon and Katherine Weisenberg, daintily dressed in white Persian lawn, trimmed in Valenciennes lace. Preceding the bridal party proper were the flower girls, little Barbara and Helen Gilbert, dressed in white Paris muslin, also trimmed in Valenciennes lace, and carrying bouquets of white carnations and maidenhair ferns.

Miss Mabel Rew, of Chicago, was the first of the bridesmaids to enter. She was gowning in point d'esprit over white silk and wore a hat trimmed with white lace and plumes.

Next came Miss Nelle Keating, a cousin of the bride, whose gown was of silk Persian lawn, with chiffon bertha and hat of white lace and plumes.

Miss Elizabeth Teeley followed, gowning in white French organdie trimmed in Valenciennes lace. Her hat was of lace braid with plumes.

Miss Kate Costello was gowning in white silk mull, trimmed with Mechlin lace; hat of white chiffon with plumes.

Miss Eloise Langman, of Springfield, was gowning in Paris muslin, trimmed in puffings, tucks and inscription of Valenciennes lace. Her hat was of white hyacinths and lace.

The maid of honor was Miss Mamie Keating, sister of the bride. She was most becomingly gowning in green broadened satin, with white net overdress and lace bertha; hat of green illusion and ostrich plumes. The maid of honor and the bridesmaids all carried bouquets of violets.

The bride entered the church on the arm of her father, Mr. Edward Keating. She was attired in a handsome creation of white liberty satin and duchess lace, with an overdress of white tulle. She carried bride's roses and wore a long, flowing veil, held in place by a most beautiful aigrette.

The groomsmen passed up the east aisle, opposite the bridesmaids, and met them at the chancel rail. They were Messrs. W. L. Ransdell, Thomas Cain, B. A. VanWinkle, D. L. Harmon, of Chicago, and Paul Graham, of Springfield. The groom, preceded by his best man, Mr. Edward J. Keating, brother of the bride, entered from the east side of the altar. The bridal party passed the chancel rail and took positions on the right and left of the altar, the bride and groom standing between them. The beautiful ritualistic service of the church was then said by the Very Rev. Dean Crowe. The ceremony lasted nearly an hour and at its conclusion the bridal party passed out of the church to the stirring strains of Mendelssohn's wedding march.

During the service of the nuptial high mass the musical program was as follows:

Introit (organ), Gregorian. Kyrie eleison, from Mozart's Twelfth Mass, full choir and organ. Alleluia, Gregorian. Offertory (Heave dies), Werner. Sanctus Benedictus, Agnus Dei, full choir and organ (Gounod).

After the service at the church the bridal party and a few relatives and intimate friends gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keating on East North street, where a most elegant and elaborate wedding breakfast was served. The dining room was beautifully decorated, red being the prevailing color. A delightful musical program was given by the Gregory Mandolin club during the breakfast and at its conclusion the always interesting ceremony of cutting the bride's cake took place, and was attended by the usual merriment.

The bride is the eldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Keating and has resided in this city all her life. She is a young lady of culture and refinement and rare musical ability. She is a graduate of the high school and of the College of Music, and also took an elocutionary course at the Woman's college. She is a young lady of most charming manner, and has for several years successfully conducted a large music class.

The groom is one of the most well known young men of Jacksonville. He stands high in the business and political circles of the city, and his ability has won him preeminence in several instances. He has served for a number of years most efficiently as secretary of the Republican county committee, and was appointed by Governor Yates, at the beginning of his administration, treasurer of the Blind institution. A year ago he was elected city attorney of Jacksonville and during his incumbency has made an ideal official. He is also prominent in church and society circles and has hosts of friends who admire him for his sterling worth and character. He is the junior member of the law firm of Layman & Morrissey.

A large array of presents were displayed at the Keating home, which was an evidence of the high esteem in which Mr. and Mrs. Morrissey are held by their friends. The display of cut glass and silver was especially noticeable.

The bride's going away gown was of black peau de soie, with hat and coat to match. Mr. and Mrs. Morrissey left on the 1:30 p. m. train for a brief wedding trip and will be absent from the city about a week. On their return they will reside in Park Place, where the groom has recently purchased a home.

Among those present from a distance to attend the wedding were: Miss Frances Eek, Miss Gertrude Eek, Miss Louise Becker, Miss Hannah Kennedy, Miss Olga Loughman, the Misses Murray, Miss Susie Rice, Mrs. Langman and Mr. Frank Rice, all of Springfield; Mr. Mike Murray, of Ashland; Mrs. Anna Rew, of Chicago; Miss Lulu Harding, of St. Louis; Miss Marie Harmon, of Pisgah; Miss Kathleen Harmon, of Franklin, and Dr. and Mrs. L. Wilcox, of Chandlerville.

MYERS-MINNEY.

Considerable interest has been manifested in the contemplated marriage of W. K. Myers by a number of his friends here, but he would give out no definite information regarding this event, and he has kept them guessing in consequence. Mr. Myers engaged an assistant to work in his place at the express office last Saturday and left for St. Louis. It was known that the young lady to whom he was thought to be engaged resided in St. Louis and the manner of his leaving started many rumors among his friends here. Nothing has been heard from him since his departure for St. Louis, but the St. Louis Post-Dispatch of Tuesday contained the marriage license of W. K. Myers, of Jacksonville, and Miss Mary Minney, of 2816 North Twenty-second street, St. Louis.

An express messenger on the Chicago & Alton reported that the above mentioned parties left St. Louis Monday evening on his train and got off at Godfrey and his friends here are now certain that Mr. and Mrs. Myers will arrive in Jacksonville in a few days.

Mr. Myers has been employed for some time as driver for the United States Express company in this city and he is held in highest confidence by his employers, as well as by many friends he has in this city.

It is understood that Mr. and Mrs. Myers will reside on West College street.

FELTS-BLACKSHAW.

C. R. Felts, of Creal Springs, Ill., and Miss Frances Blackshaw, of Palmyra, were married Tuesday afternoon at 1:30 o'clock by Rev. W. H. Musgrove at the Brooklyn church parsonage. They were unattended and the ceremony was observed by witnesses only.

Both the bride and groom have been employed at night watches at Central hospital and are held in high esteem by all who know them. They left on the 3:30 train Tuesday afternoon for a bridal tour of the west and will be at home after May 20 at Creal Springs.

FUCHS-HERMES.

Charles Fuchs and Miss Annie Hermes were united in marriage Tuesday morning at 9:30 o'clock by Father Mohr, at St. Mary's church in New Berlin. They were attended by Miss Gertrude Hermes, sister of the bride, and Mr. Gebhart. Both the bride and groom are well and favorably known in this section, where they have many friends. They will be at home on a farm near Island Grove.

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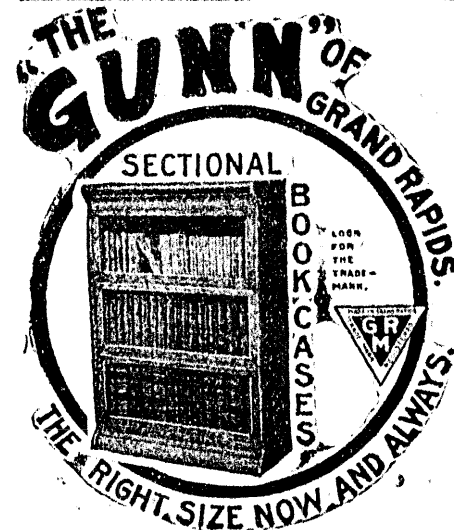


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Mothers will be pleased with these stockings. We ordered a stock of them on the strong recommendation of several mothers whose children had worn them. The York knitting mills' 4-thread stockings for boys and girls have double strength and twice the wear. Made in fine ribbed lisle and cotton—fast black, at 25c a pair for all sizes—6 to 10.

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OUR NEIGHBORS

MURRAYVILLE.

The following tickets have been selected for the coming village election to be held Tuesday, April 16: Anti-License—For clerk, George M. Brubaker; trustees, T. J. Reynolds, J. L. Dunnaway, J. E. Thompson and A. L. Kennedy. Citizens ticket—For judges, Dr. C. M. Vertrees, O. N. Tribble, Samuel Hodson and Charles Short. The issues are on the manner of public improvement and the license question is not voted.

Apr. 10, to M. and Mrs. Samuel Hodson, a fine son.

Mrs. C. E. Strang was taken with a fainting spell Friday evening, but soon recovered her usual health.

Charles Hicks is laid up with an attack of stomach trouble.

Charles Stuart, of Chicago, was here the past few days in the interest of Miller White & Co.

W. H. Bennett, of Prentice, was interviewing his Democratic friends here Saturday.

He wishes to secure the nomination for circuit clerk.

Mrs. Nettie Jones, who has been suffering for some time from the effects of a severe attack of la grippe, is possibly a little better, but she is still in a critical condition. Her mother, Mrs. Mary Gunn, of Lamar, Colo., is at her bedside.

The Ladies' Aid will meet with Mrs. Mary Kennedy Thursday afternoon.

A lecture will be given at the M. E. church Tuesday evening, April 16, under the auspices of the W. C. T. U. The names of the speakers have not yet been furnished us.

Glen A. Wesner, our efficient deputy postmaster, made a business trip to Rockhouse Monday.

The hotel is nearing completion and will have many improvements over the old one.

C. A. Boruff and S. W. Hadden, of Jacksonville, were here on business Monday.

Lloyd Sale has resigned his position as clerk at Hendrick's store.

The Murrayville schools are getting along nicely. The teachers during the past winter have given entire satisfaction.

Mr. Dabak, the principal, is one of the leading teachers of this county, while his assistants, Mrs. Beadles and Miss Daniel, have exceeded the expectations of both patrons and pupils.

All four of the rural routes will start promptly May 2.

Mr. and Mrs. U. H. Rimbley and Miss Alma Rimbley, who have been spending the winter at Citronelle, Ala., have returned home.

Mrs. Lela Curfman and Miss Ora Hall, of Jacksonville, spent Sunday with their parents and many friends here.

Miss Clara Rimbley, one of the popular teachers of Morgan county, has closed a successful term at Nortonville and was offered the school again at an increase in salary, which was certainly a deserved compliment.

Mrs. T. G. Crouse, who has been sick for several weeks is quite poorly.

James C. Osborne has been confined to his home for several days by illness.

E. F. Millon has been on the sick list this week.

W. P. Boruff and A. Seymour have qualified as rural mail carriers.

Thomas Wilson and David Wilson were in Jacksonville Monday.

Miss Pearl Story will open a millinery stock here soon.

Miss Pearl Wright, of Jacksonville, was visiting her parents and other relatives here Monday.

J. E. Thompson will take charge of the Murrayville Tribune, the local paper which has been printed at Manchester the past two years. Walter Hanback, having been appointed deputy state auditor for Morgan county, gave up the paper.

School was dismissed Tuesday on account of a lack of fuel.

Miss Maggie Haley, of Jacksonville, and William Sanders, of Wood, visited at Charles Sanders' last Sunday.

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runs down or improves, just depends on how it is cared for. It is the most valuable property we have and should receive the most consideration. It helps you in business, helps good looks, helps make friends, helps get situations and helps you hold them, and always makes happiness. Property like this, at the first indication of being out of repair, should be looked after and a remedy applied at once. There are any number of signs that show repairs are needed. Bilious spells, indigestion, dyspepsia, belching, dizziness, sick headache, sallow complexion, pimples and liver spots on the face, a drowsy feeling after meals, sour stomach, etc. These symptoms all show loss of health. Druggists will sell you for 25c a box of Dr. Gunn's Improved Liver Pills, a sure cure for all of these diseases. Lee P. Alcott, Druggist.

LITERARY.

Miss Minnie Thompson, of Petersburg, has been visiting old friends here for a week.

Mrs. James Dinwiddie returned home last week after staying five weeks in Jacksonville.

The Western Union telegraph men were replacing the poles along the C. P. & St. L. last week.

E. E. Murry is building an addition to his house.

The election for a school director will take place at Joe Litter's store next Saturday.

Oats sowing is the order of the day and many farmers are busy at it.

It is rumored that a new farmer telephone system is to be erected in our neighborhood. We hope this is not true, as more than one system in a community is not satisfactory and is more expensive, as few of the people can afford both.

The duplicate systems cost Jacksonville business men more than \$15,000 a year and is unsatisfactory, and as our present system is owned by thirty-five shareholders residing here, would it not be better to pay for the system than to give money to strangers who are in the business solely for the profits? So far the shareholders of the present system have not received a cent interest on the money invested, and the officers have given their services without compensation and the phone holders have received a better service at a cheaper rate than any other system.

The rural route starting from this office will go into operation on May 2, and Frank Bourne, the carrier, has qualified and given the required bond. The carrier starts at 8 a. m. and goes east to Princeton road, north to Dixie road, east to Brown corner, south to Lindsey road, west to Martin corner, south to Samples', west to Dodswood corner, north to J. W. Crum's, west to M. M. Crum's, north to Smith corner, west to Elijah Morris corner, south to Hall corner, west to J. V. Johnson corner, north to Reid Crum's, east to Ed Pettich's, south to Perry Henderson corner and east to Litter, at which place he is to return by about 4 p. m. The route is about twenty-three miles long and has one hundred families on it, and part of it is quite hilly. It is hoped

the patrons on the route will do all they can to assist the carrier by having proper mail boxes at convenient places and not delay him by asking for too much information—as he is not a tale teller, gossip or information bureau, except as he delivers it in the written or printed mail—and help the commissioners to give him good roads.

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ALEXANDER.

The many friends of Mr. Hen and Mr. Mrs. Kelsor were pained to learn of the sickness and death of Mrs. Hen, living near Ashland. She was a sister of Mrs. Ten Kelsor. She was a very kind, kind neighbor, a well respected lady and loved by all who knew her. The family and relatives have the sympathy of the entire community in their sad bereavement. She died in Springfield at the hospital.

William Foster, living north of Alexander, had the misfortune while sowing oats last Thursday to lose the first joint of his first finger on his left hand.

There was no meeting in the Alexander church on account of the minister being absent. Julius Strawn preached a memorial service on the death of our former pastor, Rev. Joseph Winterbottom.

The farmers will finish sowing oats this week in this vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Pratt and two children visited Mr. and Mrs. John Becker.

Mr. Hall and family have the sympathy of the community in their sad bereavement to the death of his sister.

The measles are still breaking out in this vicinity.

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CLARK'S CHAPEL.

Mrs. Sarah Sharp, of Jacksonville, returned home after two weeks' visit with Miss Emma Sharp.

Jerry Cox is able to be up and around again.

William Allison and sister Jennie returned home last Wednesday. They are both improving.

John R. Phillips, Mrs. Sarah Sharp of Jacksonville and Mrs. Jerry Cox.

Most of the farmers are sowing oats.

Charles Tullish, of Arcadia, has been doing some painting for William Phillips and David Parker.

William Harwood and wife spent Saturday and Sunday with Lee Mason and family.

Miss Nettie Long's school closed Tuesday.

Mrs. H. Maul was up to William Phillips Monday and Tuesday visiting.

Waverly.

Starr Carter went to Springfield Monday.

C. C. Courtney went to Cartville Monday.

Rev. Charles Hill went to Atlanta Tuesday to attend a ministerial meeting of the Christian church.

Miss Nellie Page, of Taylorville, spent several days last week visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Turner.

Mrs. H. I. Detrick, Mrs. E. B. Wyle, Mrs. Lowe and Miss Minnie Neece entertained their friends at the elegant new home of Mr. and Mrs. Detrick one evening last week at a "brown party."

This was one of the most delightful social events of the season and the ladies deserve credit for their ingenuity in preparing these things to look at and brown things to eat.

R. D. Smith is spending a few days at Chapin looking after business matters.

Dr. G. W. Bradley is quite sick with grippe and his sons, Dr. M. M. Bradley, of Chatham, and Dr. George Bradley, of Modesto, are attending his bedside.

Mrs. Lester B. Jones, of Chicago, will return home Wednesday after spending a month with her mother, Mrs. J. D. Henry.

Heretofore she has entertained the "Bachelors' club" on Monday evening with games and a dainty lunch.

Presley Bristow, who has been in California for the last year, returned home a few days ago.

Preparatory to the state meeting of the Christian Endeavor societies, which is to be held in Springfield the coming summer, the Christian Endeavor societies of the Congregational and Christian churches held a union meeting at the Christian church last Sunday evening, taking the place of the regular Sunday evening church service. A special program was prepared for the evening.

Bradley led the meeting. Two excellent papers were read by Mr. Hill and Miss Meacham. Good music was furnished by a double quartet and everybody enjoyed a pleasant and profitable meeting.

The house was crowded to its utmost, which was encouraging and helpful to the young people.

SCIATIC RHEUMATISM CURED.

"I have been subject to sciatic rheumatism for years," says E. H. Waldron, of Wilton Junction, Iowa. "My joints were stiff and gave me much pain and discomfort. My joints would crack when I straightened up. I used Chamberlain's Pain Balm and have been thoroughly cured. Have not had a pain or ache from the old trouble for many months. It is certainly a most wonderful liniment."

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BETHEL.

As there have not been any items from this vicinity for some time, we scribble endeavor to gather a few of interest.

Best Nash and Frank Melroe, two prominent young stock dealers, have sold of valuable mules of Ed Wharton last week.

James McNay was in Bluffs on business Thursday.

Mrs. Callaway, the mother of L. H. Callaway, is very low with paralysis.

There is a great deal of interest displayed in the coming school election next Saturday. The new school house location is working hard for a new structure. This should receive the consideration of every fair-minded voter in the district.

A large acreage of corn will be planted this spring owing to the continued wet weather. A large area would have been sowed to oats, but the wet weather has continued until it is too late and so the

intended oat ground will be planted in corn.

John Anderson, who was injured Friday week by the explosion of his shotgun, is able to be out and around again. John says he will resign his position as a local minister in the future.

Postmaster R. B. Wallace has the contract for putting up tombstones to all of the unmarked graves of soldiers of 1861-65. The government cannot do too much for the gallant boys who fought for our union.

Clifford Gillis, of Pisgah, was visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. John R. Taylor, Saturday and Sunday.

C. A. Taylor, Jr., was in Hannibal, Mo., Saturday viewing the high water.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilmer Simpson and little daughter visited Mrs. Simpson's mother, Mrs. N. H. Hogan, Sunday.

George Anderson sold and delivered nine fat steers, averaging 1,075 pounds, for \$5.55, to Henry Perlick Saturday.

Brown Bros., of Houston, Ill., had a public sale of milk cows at Chapin Saturday. Owing to the weather the crowd was small, but the bidding was spirited and prices ranged from \$20 to \$41 each.

Col. C. H. Taylor was the auctioneer.

Oliver Jones and James Elder spent Saturday in Jacksonville.

Miss Bessie Taylor is sojourning at home this week.

Assessor C. E. Drake has received the assessing books and will begin work this week assessing the farmers.

Via the WABASH railroad to KANSAS CITY and RETURN.

Leave Jacksonville WABASH STATION Friday, April 15, at 1:43 p. m. (noon); arrive in Kansas City 5:30 p. m., Friday. Leave Kansas City at 6:15 p. m., Sunday, April 17; arrive Jacksonville, 1:20 a. m., Monday.

FRANKLIN.

C. A. Burton and James S. Helm made a business trip to Jacksonville Wednesday.

Mrs. S. Evans returned Saturday from Chicago, where she has been making an extended visit with her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Clarence Rehnach.

Taylor Calhoun, living two miles south of town, has been under the care of Dr. J. B. Perkins for several days.

Albert Seymour, a member of the high school, has been absent from his usual place for several days.

Charles Olinger is having the interior work of the opera house and hall above his new building completed.

John G. Reynolds was here one day last week shaking hands with the Democrats and asking their support for renomination to the position of coroner.

The annual election for township officers was held Saturday at Dr. Menley's office, and G. D. Roberts was unanimously chosen to succeed himself.

The revival meeting at the Christian church under the supervision of C. A. Barton and James S. Helm is still in progress.

grass and great interest is taken in the services. There have been thirty-six additions to the church up to and including Monday evening. There will be services each evening during the week, commencing promptly at 7:30 o'clock.

J. M. Hart and O. E. Tandy returned Monday from Chicago.

Prof. R. F. Giesop was in Jacksonville from Friday until Monday under the care of Dr. A. L. Adams.

CHAPIN.

C. E. Elson bought of James Redding the place known as the Auntie Woods property.

James Cowdin and wife, Dr. A. Wenger and wife and W. Woodward took dinner with Mrs. E. R. Woodward on day Tuesday in honor of Mrs. Woodward's seventy-fifth birthday.

The cow sale last Saturday at McVeigh's lively barn was well attended.

The animals sold were mostly Jerseys. Prices ranged from \$25 to \$40.

Marcus Kimball, an old resident and proprietor of the well known Kimball hotel, is very sick and little hopes are entertained of his recovery.

Guadalupe and family are preparing to sail for Germany May 2, where they will spend the summer.

Baker school, Edith Calloway teacher, closed last Friday.

School closed next Tuesday.

Mrs. James Jones, of South Royalton, Vt., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. Laura Burnham, took dinner Sunday with W. Woodward and family.

A. C. Culler and wife, of Little Indian, spent Sunday with George Reed.

Will Rogers was doing business in Jacksonville Monday.

Mr. Linder, the undertaker, has moved his family to the Widow Houlton house.

Harry Hutchins visited friends and relatives in Chandlerville Saturday and Sunday.

The Arcadia school closes to day (Wednesday) for its summer vacation. The teacher, L. C. Seiple, will return to his home in Princeton, Ill., at once.

Seven ladies from Arcadia and vicinity met at Mrs. L. A. Barr's and assisted her in sewing carpet rags Thursday. They sewed 325 pounds in about five hours and if you take from this the time they spent in talking you can readily see that they sewed some. Now, didn't they?

Joe Rudisill, who has been in poor health for some time past, was taken to Passavant hospital and Wednesday on the advice of his attending physician, Dr. Day. It is hoped that the change will benefit him and that he will soon be able to return to his neighborhood again.

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*No. 10. Chicago vestibuled limited 2:58 am

*No. 12. Atlantic express..... 6:00 am

*No. 4. Chicago express..... 1:12 pm

*No. 14. Chicago and Peoria ex..... 5:48 pm

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*No. 11. Kansas City express..... 5:43 am

*No. 13. Kansas City day express..... 10:36 am

*No. 3. Roadhouse accommodation 5:32 pm

*No. 7. K. C., Col. & Cal. limited..... 11:47 pm

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THE MARKETS

Chicago, April 12.
RANGE OF GRAIN PRICES.

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Today.	Yesterday.
Mar.	84 1/4	84 1/2	84 1/4	84 1/2	84 1/4
May	87	87 1/2	86 3/4	87 1/2	87
Sept.	81 1/2	81 3/4	80 3/4	81 3/4	81 1/2
Corn—					
May	50 1/4	50 3/4	50 1/4	50 3/4	50 1/4
July	51 1/4	51 3/4	50 3/4	51 3/4	51 1/4
Sept.	50 1/4	50 3/4	49 3/4	50 3/4	50 1/4
Oats—					
May	38 1/4	38 3/4	37 3/4	38 3/4	38 1/4
July	39 1/4	39 3/4	38 3/4	39 3/4	39 1/4
Sept.	37 1/4	37 3/4	36 3/4	37 3/4	37 1/4
Pork—					
May	12 3/4	12 3/4	12 1/2	12 3/4	12 3/4
July	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/4	12 1/2	12 1/2
Lard—					
May	6 50	6 50	6 47 1/2	6 50	6 47 1/2
July	6 47 1/2	6 47 1/2	6 45	6 47 1/2	6 45
Ribs—					
May	6 40	6 40	6 35	6 40	6 35
July	6 35	6 35	6 30	6 35	6 30

MATHENY & LLOYD.

(By Associated Press.)
Chicago, April 12.—Wheat—There was fair trade to day with the close showing declines of 1/4 cent. The market started stronger and for a while ruled firm, due to the showing of the grain market, and report, which was quite bullish. Liquidation, however, soon set in and the volume as the session advanced, and prices declined steadily, breaking 2c. Out-side markets turned weak, and the close was a bear market. The close was weak. Liverpool 1/2 higher to 1/4 lower.

Corn—Corn was fairly active with feeling weaker, the close showing a decline of 1/4 cent. The start was stronger with wheat, but general selling soon followed. Commission houses offering large quantities of July, part of which was sold by the bear interest, and the market was at the decline. Southwestern markets were weak. The close was weak. Liverpool unchanged to 1/4 lower. At Pine apples—30c. Malaga grapes—30c. lb. Cooking apples—25 to 40c. per bushel. Lemons—20 to 25c. dozen. Bananas—15 to 20c. dozen. Oranges—California navel, 20c. to 40c. Coconut—10c. each. Florida oranges—20c. to 40c. dozen. New English walnuts, 15c. to 20c. lb. Black walnuts—30c. per bushel. Shellbark hickory nuts, small—50c. per bushel.

Hickory nuts, large—35c. per bushel. Large chestnuts—15c. lb. Pecans—10c. lb. Almonds—15c. to 20c. pound. Popcorn—5c. lb. Filberts—15c. lb. Brazil nuts—15c. lb. Mixed nuts—10c. lb. VEGETABLE QUOTATIONS.

Spanish onions—5c. lb. Green beans—15c. quart. Wax beans—15c. quart. Cabbage—4c. lb; red cabbage 4c. lb. Beardsweet potatoes—35c. pk. Potatoes—30c. pk; \$1.10 bushel. Onions—35c. pk. Cucumbers—15c. to 20c. each. Red peppers—5c. dozen. Carrots—25c. pk. Lard—10c. lb. Celery—50 to 75c. dozen. Michigan celery—35c. dozen. Cauliflower—15c. to 25c. head. Lettuce—5c. to 10c. head.

DAIRY PRODUCE.
Butter—Country, 20c. lb; Elgin creamery, 22c. lb. Guaranteed eggs—13c. dozen. POULTRY AND GAME.
Hens, dressed—10c. lb. Turkeys, dressed—17c. lb. Geese—50c. each. Ducks, dressed—10c. lb. PRICES PAID BY COMMISSION MEN.
Cull turkeys—6c. lb. Geese—6c. lb. Ducks—8c. lb. Hides, green—5c. lb. Hides, salt cured—6c. lb. Fresh eggs—11c. dozen. Hens and pullets—9c. lb. Stags—6c. lb. Young tom turkeys—12c. lb. Hen turkeys—12c. lb. Old tom turkeys—10c. lb. Fresh turkey—10c. lb. Springs—9c. lb. Guinea—15c. each. Pigeons—60c. dozen.

FRESH AND SMOKED MEATS.
Fresh pork and bacon—10c. to 12c. lb. Lard—10c. to 12c. lb. Roast beef—10c. lb. Sirlion steak—15c. lb. Porterhouse steak—15c. lb. Round steak—12c. lb. Chuck steak—10c. lb. Shoulders—10c. lb. Lamb chops—15c. to 20c. lb. Mutton—12c. to 15c. lb. FISH AND OYSTERS.
White fish—15c. lb. Trout—15c. lb. Croppies—12c. lb. Sunfish—10c. lb. Catfish—15c. lb. Channel cat—15c. lb. Buffalo—10c. lb. Standards—20c. quart. Selects—50c. quart.

FLOUR.
Herules and White Lily, \$1.40. Pillsbury, \$1.45. Ben Hur, \$1.45. Perfection, \$1.35. Standard, \$1.35. HAY, GRAIN AND FEED.
Hay—Timothy, \$10.11 a ton; clover, \$9.00 to \$10.00 a ton. Corn—45c; retail, 45c. Oats—40c; retail, 45c. Bran—90c; retail, \$1 per cwt. Shorts—\$1.05; retail, \$1.10 cwt. Corn meal—\$1.10; retail, \$1.20 cwt.

Australian law permits boys and girls to marry at the age of fourteen. There is no pleasure in idleness; it leads to failure and misery.

HOME MARKETS.

There is little of any importance to note at present. Prices are about steady and transactions few. Of the Chicago livestock market, Oliver S. Green, with Shannon Bros. & Co., Union Stock Yards, Chicago, reports for Monday, April 11, as follows:
Cattle—Receipts, 28,000. Good cattle sold at steady prices; others were weak to 10c lower. Not many sold above \$5.25; two lots, respectively, \$5.05; 32 averaging 1,686 and 32 averaging 1,430. Butcher stock and stockers and feeders, steady.

Hogs—Receipts, 20,000. The market was steady to 5c higher; extreme top, \$5.35.

Sheep—Receipts, 20,000. The market was active and 10c to 15c higher. Home sales:

Cattle—Culp & McAllister bought of Thos. Irlam a load av. 1,300, at \$4.35.

Henry Perbix bought of George Anderson 9 shippers, av. 1,075, at \$5.55.

Hogs—Cade Bros. sold Thomas Harrison, of Sinclair, a load of stockers at \$5.15.

William Paschal bought of Albert Jewsbury, 40; Richard Adams, 30, at \$5.05.

C. E. Henry shipped a load to St. Louis.

PROVISIONS.

Strawberries—Pints 10c and 20c; quarts, 20c and 25c.

Pine apples—30c.

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JAILS CONDEMNED

Twenty Prisons in Illinois Should be Torn Down.

Col. J. Mack Tanner, secretary of the state board of charities in a recent report says that twenty jails now in use in Illinois should be torn down. He asserts they are not fit for the confinement of prisoners, and many are in a filthy condition.

On this subject Colonel Tanner says: "Gloomy, unsanitary, dingy, unhealthy and cheerless, jails strike not at the criminal instinct and mental disorder, but at the physical well-being of their victims."

"Many of the county jails of Illinois are positively bad, unfit even for temporary occupancy. They were built with the sole view to confine prisoners and prevent their escape. No thought of comfort, sanitation, exercise, encouragement or education was taken into account. Very few of them afford any relief from constant and enforced idleness. There is no opportunity for either mental or physical development. Rarely do we find here any separate provision or facilities for the care of sick or insane prisoners. Oftentimes the buildings are extremely cold in winter and suffocating in summer. Little or no fire protection is afforded."

"On the other hand there is a tendency to better care and greater consideration for prisoners on the part of the keepers. The food is wholesome and usually there is an effort to keep the jail clean, even where age and decay make it an uninviting task."

"Our more populous counties as a rule, have more modern jails, with separate provision for women and children. Fortunately seventy-five per cent of the women and of children under sixteen years of age, reported in the jails in 1903, were in these better equipped jails."

"Needed improvements have been made in a number of cases in the past few years. Such as are now being carried on in the Morgan, Logan and Macon county jails, all large counties. A new jail was recently completed in Woodford county and new ones are being constructed in DeWitt and Piatt counties."

"But at least twenty of the jails now used in Illinois should be torn down and new ones constructed."

PARENTS DAY

At the Washington School

Tuesday was parents' day at the Washington school and the occasion was one long to be remembered. In the upper assembly room, all the grades, except four, which were the lower ones, filed in at 9 o'clock to stirring music rendered on the piano by three accomplished musicians and accompanied by the violin in the skillful hands of Irene Thompson. The program was on the black board and the pupils took their places and went through with their parts with all the precision of veterans. All was admirably done and separate comment is impracticable save in reference to the first number. This was truly remarkable. That such young persons could render so difficult a production showed that they possessed a superior order of talent and were favored with teachers who certainly understand their calling in no small degree.

At the close of the program the pupils filed out in a regular, orderly manner and then the good number of visitors who had been so much pleased with the work of the upper grades followed the learners to their respective rooms and saw more of the regular routine which spoke well for their schools. Nor were the little folks at all neglected, for they too had visitors in their rooms and special programs of their own which were formal, funny and entertaining right through and all showing good, solid work done by the faithful, able and conscientious teachers.

The following was the program of the upper grades:

Semi-chorus—The Earth is the Lord's.

Recitation—November, Ruth Hayden.

Recitation—Hiawatha's Sailing, James Kolp.

Recitation—The Children's Hour, Tracy Alexander.

Recitation—The Ladder of St. Augustine, Susie Lynch.

Violin Solo—Irene Thompson.

Recitation—Twilight and Moonlight, Ruth McLaughlin.

Recitation—The Builders, Ray Wood.

Chorus—Creation Hymn.

Recitation—Welcome to Spring, Seventh Grade.

Recitation—What March Does, Emma Stubbfield.

Recitation—Gladness of Nature, Frances Lucht.

Chorus—Morning Song.

Recitation—The Brook, Alma Franz.

Recitation—April, Ruth Turley.

Recitation—The Sandpiper, Dorothy Cannon.

Recitation—Daffodils, Lillian Rutherford.

LIBRARIANS

WILL MEET

To Hold 9th Annual State Convention in Decatur April 19 to 21—An Interesting Program.

The ninth annual meeting of the Illinois Library association will be held in Decatur April 19 to 21, and probably seventy-five library people from different parts of the state will be present.

The officers who will preside at the meeting are as follows: President, Miss Katherine L. Sharp, University of Illinois; vice president, Carl B. Roden, Chicago public library; secretary, Miss Florence Roper, John Crear library, Chicago; treasurer, Miss Florence M. Beck, Eastern Illinois Normal school, Charleston.

During the meeting the Decatur hotel will be headquarters. There will be two reception one at the home of Dr. and Mrs. William Barnes, and the other at the library building.

Among the speakers are some excellent authorities on the subjects to be discussed. Mr. Roden, who will talk about the care and circulation of state documents, is of the Chicago public library. Mr. E. C. Hontela, who will lecture, is the field secretary of the American league of civic improvement, an organization formed for the purpose of beautifying cities. He will tell about how to improve the appearance of library grounds and cities in general.

CRACKERS' BEND.
The meekness have invaded the Bend. Kate Oliver and Little Brainer have the monopoly at present.

We understand that while Walter Brainer was hunting one day last week with his black face, Perkins here, but dog, came up with a large wild cat on the Little-Pee-dee. The dog being a young fellow knew no better than to go for the cat, but he will know better next time. Walter says he thinks the big cat would weigh over sixty pounds; he is proud of his dog and he has a right to be.

We are in receipt of a letter from Aunt Jane Smith, who, with five foot long, 53, started for Oregon on the 16th of March. She says they made the trip all right, had a pleasant journey and was as good as at the end as when they started. Aunt Jane says she did not expect to see the trees all winter, saw plenty of the large cabbage in the gardens as good as they were last fall.

Our new board of officers of Grace Church Sunday school, went out in full force Sunday; every one trying to do their duty as near as they could. The new organist, Miss Nellie Longhury, made a decided hit. We believe she will prove to be the right person for the place. Three new committees were appointed, viz: Of inquiry, lookout and flower. First: J. A. Smith, Mrs. Lulu Dawson, Miss M. E. Grier, second: Miss Minnie Mullens, Russell Ogle, Miss Kate Oliver; third: Miss Ella Goodpasture, Miss Cora Mullens, Miss Cora Brainer.

Smith Sharkey says he killed a black snake five feet long, last week. This is the best sign that spring is here we have heard of.

Another old settler has been called to answer before his creator. Charles Scott was born in Greene county, Illinois, Jan. 25, 1836, and passed from time to time at his home in Concord, Ill., April 6, 1904. He was one of the best of men. Scott joined the union army, enlisted in the 14th Illinois Infantry, Co. D. He was honorably discharged in 1862 on account of sickness. He was a member of the Grand Army of the Republic, and was elected to the will of God. Rev. J. L. McKay preached the funeral service and the remains were laid to rest in the Concord cemetery.

ORLEANS.
The election for a school director of Prairie College will be held at that place Saturday between the two candidates, 10 a. m. The term of James Cunningham expires and it would be judicious upon the part of the voters of this district to see that he is returned for another term. The Voters Country club will be entertained by Mrs. James Holmes at her home to day (Tuesday). The following is the program of the meeting: Current Events, Mrs. G. B. Rawlings; Eggs, Mrs. Edman.

John C. O'Neal has returned from a business visit to Kansas. Miss Tillie Richardson was a visitor in Jacksonville last afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. James Doherty spent Sunday with relatives in Jacksonville. Robert Hamilton was a business visitor to Jacksonville Saturday.

James Baxter, of North Orleans, spent Sunday with his mother in Jacksonville. Miss Blanche Cunningham delightfully entertained about twenty of her friends at her home Thursday evening last. Plans for the coming year will be made after which delightful refreshments were served, consisting of ice cream, cake and oranges. At 10 o'clock the guests were entertained by the singing of hymns and songs. The following were present: Mrs. John C. O'Neal, Miss Florence Rice, Miss Tillie Richardson, James Cunningham, Edman, Wm. Waggoner, Wm. Arnold, Chas. Richardson, Wm. Richardson, Clyde Cox, Charles Magill, Geo. W. Moore, G. B. Rawlings and Irvin Stevenson.

Rev. L. Gregory, of Jacksonville, spent several days last week with friends in Orleans. Rev. Mr. Wilkinson of the McCormick Theological seminary in Chicago, filled the pulpit in the Plough Presbyterian church Sunday morning. The sermon was a very excellent one and was listened to by a large and appreciative congregation.

The Missionary and Working Women's societies of the Presbyterian church met with Mrs. Henry Shepherd Thursday afternoon. Charles West, of Markham, was a business visitor here Monday.

DURBIN.
Mrs. J. H. Rawlings is ill at her home with rheumatism. Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Jones spent Sunday near Murrayville with their daughter, Mrs. Cox.

Mrs. Nellie Buckner is spending the week in Jacksonville. David Rawlings and Hugh McDevitt, with their families, spent Sunday in the Providence neighborhood at the home of George Darby.

Walter Ellington is visiting relatives at Modesto. The farmers of this vicinity have been delayed with their oats sowing by the continuous wet weather.

EGG WITHIN AN EGG.

M. F. Andre, of Mercedia, found on his place Tuesday morning a singular freak in the shape of an egg within an egg. He broke it, supposing it to be like any other of its kind, and found the white to be next the outer shell, while within was a second shell containing the yolk. He gave it to his sons, Messrs. Andre & Andre, of this city, and they in turn donated it to the Journal office.

Worry is the worst wolf that comes to our doors. Any and all gifts should be acknowledged by a note of thanks.

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FOR RENT—Five rooms, three on first floor, two on second, 630 E. Diamond St.

FOR RENT—Two rooms convenient for railroad men, 475 East State St.

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FOR SALE—A second hand corn planter, 518 W. Morton Ave.

ORIENTAL MASSAGE parlor at Opera House, Room 1, second floor.

FOR RENT—Office room over National Tea Co. store on East State St.

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms for gentlemen, 720 West State St.

FOR SALE—Fresh milk cow and calf, W. A. Kirby.

FOR SALE—A desirable house, 400 Hardin Ave.

FOR SALE—Fresh cow, apply 50 South East St.

WANTED—500 families to use Ralmo Cream for cuts and burns. City Drug Store.

FOR RENT—Near 1-room house in perfect order near C. & A. depot.

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FOR RENT—Five-room house 723 Redwood St. Apply E. P. Jones, 1457 South Main St. Illinois phone 891.

FOR SALE—10,000 bushels No. 1 seed corn, WILLIAM NUNER.

FOR SALE—Three second-hand computing scales in good condition. Address L. E. Johnson.

WANTED—A place to work on a farm. Address P. J. office.

FLOW GARDENS AND BELL SEED potatoes, III phone 623.

WANTED—A girl for general housework, 585 Edgemoor St.

FOR RENT—A ten room house at 317 North St., with 2 acres of land and large barn. Apply 602 East North St.

FOR SALE—A good bicycle. Apply at Trade Palace.

WANTED—Two car loads of wheat straw. F. E. FARRELL.

FOR SALE—White seed oats. Fitzsimmons-Kreider Milling Co.

JOE LUDWIG, Monarch bicycles, supplies and repairs, South Mainville St.

EGGS TO SET—Fine barred Plymouth Rock eggs for sale, CHUZAN, 8, Diamond St. Ill. phone 683.

FOR SALE—Small, well secured real estate judgment, drawing 6 per cent. Room 6, Opera House Bldg.

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ORDER Dairymen's carriages and baggage wagon at Vickery & Martin's. Tel. 227; residence, 1125; Ill. 48; barn, Ill. 347; Bell, 1484.

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I HAVE MOVED my blacksmith shop to the southeast corner of Mainville and North Sts., where I shall have better facilities for business. Ill. phone. CUPID MOSLEY.

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INDICATIONS.

Washington, April 12.—For Illinois: Fair warmer Wednesday; Thursday fair, variable winds.

THE DEATH RECORD.

STEWART.

Mrs. Nancy Stewart, of this city, passed away at the home of her daughter in Springfield Monday evening at 8 o'clock, at the advanced age of 82 years. Death was due to pneumonia.

Mrs. Stewart was born in Overly county, Tenn., May 8, 1812, and removed with her parents to Morgan county in 1820. The family settled about three miles east of the city. Mrs. Stewart's maiden name was Richardson.

At the age of 25 years she was married to James B. Stewart, who preceded her to the land beyond forty-five years ago. She joined the Methodist church at the age of 18 years and ever lived a faithful, devoted and consistent Christian life. She was a member of Grace M. E. church at the time of her death.

Mrs. Stewart was one of the oldest residents of the county and many are the changes she had witnessed in Jacksonville and vicinity. During this time she made hosts of friends, as her kind disposition endeared her to everyone.

She is survived by four daughters, Mrs. Martha Mann and Mrs. Mary Bridges, of this city; Mrs. Nancy Boring, of Springfield, and Mrs. Sarah VanDyke, of Wisconsin. Four sons are dead. She is also survived by twenty-three grandchildren, forty-four great grandchildren and three great great grandchildren.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Mann, 128 South Hardin avenue.

The surest and safest remedy for kidney and bladder diseases is Foley's Kidney Cure. J. A. Obermeyer, City Drug Store.

James S.

Black Flag Friday night.

FUNERALS.

MURRAYTROY.

The funeral of William T. Murraytroy, of Lynnville, was held Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock with Rev. R. F. Thrapp, of the Christian church in charge of the services. The bearers were Robert Hill, Samuel Heaton, Dr. Roberts, George Flagg, John Waltham and James Fitzgerald. Interment was in the Lynnville cemetery.

Corset fitter at Hoffman Bros.

NOTICE, LADIES.

I beg to inform the ladies that I am sending out no one soliciting orders or selling goods for Frank the Furrier, of Springfield, Ill. Should such a person call upon you, please inform me that I may prosecute for same. Yours respectfully,

Charles S. Franke,

328 S. 6th St., Springfield, Ill.

Black Flag Friday night.

K. OF P. DANCE.

Jacksonville Lodge No. 152 and Favorite Lodge No. 376, K. of P., will give a social dance Wednesday evening at their hall on the north side of the square. All members cordially invited.

Shoes durable, comfortable and stylish at Hoffman Bros.

D. O. K. K. CEREMONIAL.

Udlerim Temple, No. 62, D. O. K. K., will hold a ceremonial and banquet in Castle hall Thursday, April 19. A large class of tyros will be taken over the hot sands, and the event promises to draw visitors from far and near.

The most refined people use Balm and tooth wash or Balm tooth Powder. It is absolutely pure recommended by dentists.

See window display ask for free sample. J. A. Obermeyer City Drug Store.

Woman never wades around the edge of an argument. She dives in and then swims out—if she can.

COLLEGE PLAY.

"Uncle" a Comedy Drama Successfully Presented at College Gymnasium.

A delightful comedy entitled "Uncle," was presented at Illinois college gymnasium last evening before an audience of good proportions. The play was given under the direction of C. L. Willis, and the proceeds are for the benefit of the 1901 foot ball team.

The platform in the rear of the room was fitted up to serve very acceptably as a stage and the various appointments were in perfect keeping with the demands of the play.

The plot deals with a young man, Paul Beaumont, dependant upon his Uncle Bootle for a livelihood, who after a fast life with his bachelor friends "commits matrimony" in opposition to the expressed and implied wishes of the aforesaid uncle. Mr. and Mrs. Beaumont are living in the seclusion of a quiet village with the only thing to interrupt their domestic life the resignation of their servant, when complications begin to arise. Paul begins to long for his old companions and lets the longing become known to his wife, who becomes jealous of Paul's former pursuits, and upon the unexpected arrival of his best friend, Peter Fletcher, proceeds to turn the tables upon her husband. Paul becomes insanely jealous and the matter is complicated by the arrival of the old uncle, which makes necessary the subterfuge of pretending that Mrs. Beaumont is the wife of Mr. Fletcher. This adds to Paul's frenzy and the arrival by accident of Miss Emily Montrose, fiancée of Peter upon the scene gets Peter also in hot water. The return of Sarah Jane, the former steward, and her conversation with uncle informs him fully of the state of affairs. But uncle is not the hard old man he is supposed to be, and after all misunderstandings are adjusted, adds his blessings to the complete happiness of the interested parties.

The cast presenting the play was exceptionally good. While the part of Mrs. Beaumont was an exacting one, Miss Mabel Moore, who took the character, fully rose to the occasion, and carried through her part in a manner which showed that she had a perfect understanding of the requirements of the different situations. The parts of Emily Montrose and Sarah Jane, taken respectively by Miss Lois Owen and Miss Anselce Moore, were full of action and the young ladies more than came up to the requirements demanded.

C. L. Willis in the character of Uncle Bootle was excellent. His makeup was especially good and every action was in perfect keeping with the character. His character portrayal was very commendable. E. D. Martin as Paul Beaumont, and Peter Fletcher were also good. The plot centers around these two characters and they were heartily received.

Muscle for the evening was furnished by the Illinois College Mandolin club and was a very pleasing feature of the entertainment. The cast was as follows: Uncle Bootle C. L. Willis Paul Beaumont B. F. Lane Peter Fletcher E. D. Martin Mrs. Beaumont Miss Mabel Moore Emily Montrose Miss Lois Owen Sarah Jane Miss Anselce Moore Scene—Beaumont's cottage at Sydenham.

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SUNDAY SCHOOL ASSOCIATION. The following is the program of the Morgan County Sunday School association to be held at Murrayville Thursday, April 21:

MORNING SESSION.

Topic—Thes Boo and How to Use It. 10:00—Bible study, Henry Moser. Scripture illustrations of topic. 11:30—Prayer for Sunday school workers. 10:45—How to Secure Bible Study. (a) by scholars, ten minutes; (b) by teachers, ten minutes; (c) by parents, ten minutes. 11:45—Open conference, led by Henry Moser.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

Topic—The School and How to Manage It. 1:30—Bible Study, Henry Moser. Scripture illustrations of individual work for individuals. 2:00—How to Win Our Scholars for Christ. Opening talk ten minutes. 2:10—Individual experiences in soul winning, two minutes each. 2:30—Prayer for Sunday school scholars. 2:45—The superintendent and his work. Opened by county president or secretary. 3:00—Our Little Folks. 3:15—Teaching training, Henry Moser. 3:45—Open conference.

EVENING SESSION.

Topic—The Community and How to Win It. 7:00—Praise and prayer service. 7:20—The home department. 7:40—Address, Henry Moser. * Topics marked with a star to be taken by local workers.

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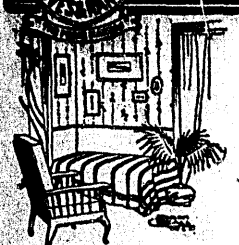
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